MASSILLON DAILY INDEPENDENT.

FOURTH YEAR. MASSILLON, O., MONDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1891. PRICE (W) CENT

HUMBERGER'S

20 DAY

Clearance -:- Sale.

The crowds of people th t visit our stores fully appreciate the

SWEEPING REDUCTIONS

made in every department.

Our stock of Plush Coats, long and short, are selling at about hali price. Don't wait, they wont last long.

Don't forget the Stylish Garments, your choice for $5 00. See them. This is the greatest bargain ever offered in this city. Respectfully,

Warwick Block. HUMBERGER'S

COLEMAN.

THE JEWELER

New and Complete stock in all the very latest stwles.

Sterling SILVERWARE,

Dozens, Half Dozens, Single pieces.

Diamonds,

Watches

Jewelry.

Largest Stock in the City

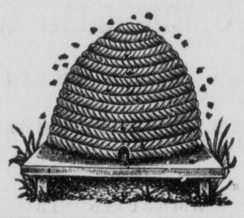
NO. 5 ERIE STREET.

Unparalleled Rush

For the Month of February

AT THE

Massillon Bee Hive



DOUBLE STORE,

All the result of the

GREAT SWEEP SALE

Which is now under full way.

We have added two lines of Gent's Outing Shirts at the respective prices of 29 cents and 43 cents. The best goods eyer shown in the Bee Hive for the money.

In our West show window you can see the best Gents 47c. unlaundried shirt to be found in the city; 25 dozen of which have just been opened.

Other great bargains placed on our counters daily.

Respectfully,

ALLMAN & PUTMAN.

SEE GEORGE SNYDER

Before you buy your

BOOTS AND SHOES

Miss Helen Ryder

Will continue the

INSURANCE BUSINESS

Formerly conducted by her father at the old stand

OverDielhenn's ClothingStore

SOUTH ERIE STREET.

E. D. Wileman,

ENGINEER & SURVEYOR,

OFFICE IN WARWICK BLOCK.

All work accurately and promptly attended to. P. O. Box, 47.

Real Estate bought, sold and exchanged

A Fountain Pen for 10 Cents.

The new fountain pen is much better than the old favorite, and in many respects as good as its high-priced brother. The Independent Co.

NOT IN IT

It is useless to hunt for a thing when it isn't there. It will be useless for customers to expect to find any profits on our goods in February, "Make room for Spring Stock is the order of the month, and make room we will,

THE BOTTOM IS OUT

Of our prices for this month and our friends are invited to help themselves. We shall be glad to wrap up the goods, furnish twine and clericrl work, but

THERE'S NOTHING IN IT

For us. If you want Clothing, Underware, Gloves, and Caps, at the same price we pay New York wholesalers. Come in and take the goods away.

C. M. Whitman,

THE ORIGINAL AND ONLY STRICTLY

One Price Clothier, Hatter & Furnisher,

IN MASSILLON.

ERHARD & SCHIMKE.

BREWERS AND BOTTLERS.

MASSLLON, O.

50 NEW STYLE

CARRIAGES

Finest Selection Ever Shown in the City at

WILLAMAN'S

FURNITURE

—AND—

UndertakingRooms

42 and 44 S. Erie St.

CITY LIVERY!

P. GRIBBLE, Proprietor

First-Class in all its Appointments

Commercial Trade Solicited. Prompt Delivery.

Telephone 77.

THEY ARE CHEAP AND ALL THE RAGE,

BLACK CHEVIOTS.

We have them in all the different weaves, also a

Choice Line of New Woolens

Of the very latest styles, which we are making up at very popular prices.

LOWE THE TAILOR, OPERA BLOCK, SECOND FLOOR.

REAL ESTATE BULLETIN.

For Sale—Residences

Four room house, South Erie street, corner lot $1,400

Four room (double) house, two out-kithens $2,000

Six roomed house, double lot, Richville Ave. $1500.

Seven roomed house, Wellman street, $2,700

For Rent.

Store room, Stone Block.

Store Room in Opera Block, now occupied by Goodhart Bros. Possession given April 1st, 1891.

Business Property.

Ninety-two feet front on Erie street, on P., Ft. W & C. Ry., and Ohio canal. Unexcelled location for manufactory.

Vacant Lots.

One lot on West Tremont street, $425

One lot on South Erie street, $600.

Two lots on Wechter street, $225.

Forty-two lots in Kent Jarvis' 2d add. $300 to $45

Nineteen lots in my Richville Ave. add., $225

One lot on South Erie street, in Julia M. Jarvis sub-division, $550.

One lot on East Main street, best lot on the street $2,100.

One lost just off West Tremont street, $800.

Six lots near the C., L. & W. and W. & L. E. railroads, $300.

also have on my list many choice Western lands for sale or exchange, and many other bargains.

Easy Terms,

Long Time,

Low Interest

CALL AND SEE ME.

JAS. R. DUNN,

The First National Bank.

MASSILLON, OHIO.

S. HUNT, President,
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C. STEESE, Cashier.
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Capital Stock and Surplus $250,000.

Interest Bearing Certificates Issued

FOR

Best Goods and Lowest Prices

GO TO

TheEnterprise

14 lbs. G. Sugar	$1 00
15 lbs A Sugar	1 00
16 lbs Light Brown Sugar	1 00
Arbuckles Coffee	25
Dannamiller coffee	25
Lion coffee	25
All Leading Brands Coffee,	**25**
5 cans best Peaches	$1 00
5 cans best Apricots	1 00
12 cans Tomatoes	1 00
Good Broom	10
Golden drip Syrup per gal	35
Good Tea Per Pound	**25**

All other goods proportionally low.

Wm. A. PIETZCKER,

Proprietor,

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THE UNION NATIONAL BANK.

JOSEPH COLEMAN, President.
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Does a General Banking Business

Interest paying Certificates of Deposit Issued.

South Erie street,

MASSILLON OHIO

JUST IN

An elegant line of embroide. ed Night Robes would be cheap at at $1.00 to be had for only 75 Cents. Also a full line of full line of Fancy Front Dress Dress Shirts the latest out.

Remember we carry the best and largest line of Hats and Men's Furnishings in the City.

SPANGLER, & CO. HATTERS

LAST EDITION.

SALMAGUNDI.

TO-DAY'S DOINGS IN THIS TOWN

Personal Notes and Brief Mention of Many Things.

THE WEATHER—For Ohio—Monday rain, colder, clearing to-night; temperature will fall to 30° by Tuesday morning.

TO-NIGHT, at Bucher's, "Uncle Hiram."

Mr. Harry Wilson, of Cleveland, is in the city.

John Ginter has gone to Cleveland to visit friends.

Miss Emma Von Kanel returned to Canton Saturday.

Guy Teeple, of Wooster, is visiting his parents in this city.

Miss Julia Rudenstein spent Saturday with Canton friends.

Mrs. Kreble, of Orrville, was the guest of Mrs. S. B. Young, Friday.

Dr. E. H. Fishack, of West Salem, O. is the guest of Dr. J. W. Hisey.

Mrs. Charles Steese gave a tea party to a dozen guests Saturday evening.

George Schaffert, of Canton, spent Sunday with his parents in this city.

E. F. Hathaway is located in W. J. Oberlin's office, in the Oberlin block.

The Misses Anna Smith and Lizzie Bamberger are visiting friends in Canton.

The pay roll of the Eighth Regimen while in camp at Massillon last summe was $2 340.

Mr. Charles Howald, of Salem, is confined to the home of his parents by a broken foot.

Mr. Hugh Teeple, of Wooster, spent Sunday with his parents in East Tremont street.

Capt. C. W. Zimmerman and wife went to Beach City Saturday to spend Sunday with relatives

Mrs. A. Ryder and daughter Nettie, of Navarre, spent Friday with Mrs. Ryder's son Harry, Park row.

Miss Bertha Simpson, of Cleveland, is in town, the guest of her cousin, Mrs. J. F. Paul, of Wellman street.

Deputy Postmaster Jerome Shepley is at his post of duty to-day, having recovered from a week's sickness.

Mr. Chas. Roan and sister were surprised at their home by a number of their friends Friday evening.

Miss Ada Flinn, who has been visiting friends in Chicago for the past two months, returned home Saturday.

George W. Wilhelm, member of the state board of equalization, was in the city this morning on his way to Columbus.

Mr. William A. Ulman left to-day for Washington, D. C., to remain a week, as is supposed, in the interest of the free coinage bill.

Miss Annie Gerstenmaier, formerly a resident of this city, but now of Akron, returned home this morning after a few days' visit with her parents.

The pay car of the Ft. Wayne road stopped at the station long enough Saturday to gladden the hearts and swell the purses of all resident employes.

Messrs. George Myers, Robert McColly and William Barnes will leave for Seattle, Wash., this evening, to try their fortune in the West.

A party of young people drove to Canton Friday evening to attend a reception given by Miss Dollie Smith, at her home in Cleveland avenue.

The U. C. D. club will meet this evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Pitts, 68 Chestnut street. The topic, "Condition of the world about 200 B. C.," will be presented by Mrs. C. McC. Everhard.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First M. E. church of this city will hold its first social for this year at the residence of C. B. Allman on Tuesday evening. Refreshments, also instrumental and vocal music. Everybody invited.

Jacob Fribley, who recently succeeded to Cupples & Fribley, West Side druggists, has made a sale of his stock to Dr. F. E. Seaman, who will continue the business at the same location. Mr. Fribley will remain with the new proprietor for the present.

Miss Lillian Ulman adds her name to the list of the public spirited. The unique collection of quartz, galena and silver ore specimens, the results of her trip through Colorado last summer, she turns over to the high school for instruction purposes.

The usual feast of reason at the intellectual hub known as Buzzard's Glory was dispensed with Friday night, and a flow of soul substituted. Everybody sent everybody valentines, and they were read aloud, to the assembled blushing masters and embarrassed misses.

An East Liverpool correspondent says that 75 per cent. of the 1,000 conversions made by the great revival have joined the churches. The resident pastors will continue the work in their respective churches. The consumption of beer has fallen off from five car loads to little over one per day, and the police cases are much less numerous.

Howard Lewis, who has been employed in Russell & Co.'s collection department for over a year, expects to leave for his old home, Seneca Falls, N. Y., as soon as his health permits. He has received a very flattering offer from the Gould Manufacturing Company, and in order to accept it, has had to abandon his expectation of going West. Mr. Lewis who is now suffering from a distressing attack of rheumatism, will leave as soon as he recovers sufficiently to travel.

Miss Ella Smith very pleasantly entertained a number of young people at her home in East street, Friday evening. Progressive riddledy winks was the one feature of the evening. Six tables were occupied and the game was very interesting to the close. Miss Milhof, of Canton, succeeded in capturing the ladies' honor, a handsome valentine, and Mr. Charles Hackett, after a long race, overtook the booby. After supper was served, dancing was indulged in until a late hour.

COUNCILMAN CAMERON.

A Special Election and a Satisfactory Republican Victory.

The special election, held Saturday, for the purpose of electing a councilman in the third ward to fill the vacancy created by the removal of Councilman L. H. Strobel from this city, was warmly contested by both parties, in fact, almost as great interest was aroused as is the rule at a regular election. Republicans and Democrats had carriages out to bring laggard electors to the polls and the efficient workers on both sides gave to the contest almost the zest contributed to a national or state contest. That their labors were effective is demonstrated by the fact that 685 votes were cast, the full vote of the ward being about 800. Both of the candidates, John W. Cameron, Rep., and Charles Warth, Dem., were on the battle ground, and the rule was that party lines were pretty strictly drawn. It is known that at least one illegal vote was cast. The result was not a surprise, except to the Democrats, the fact being known that they had confident anticipations of landing their man. Mr. Cameron had 24 majority, and will take his seat at the next meeting of the council, on the first Monday of March, the political complexion of the body remaining as it was prior to the vacancy, a tie.

The Cock Fighting Mania.

Cock fighting continues to be an all-absorbing source of amusement in some quarters. Friday afternoon, at Plum Bottom, near the bridge works, one contest took place. Saturday night a more important battle was waged at Boss Smith's Corners. At this latter place the contest was between Massillon and Canal Fulton birds and considerable money changed hands. The fight lasted until daylight. There were three flies, one apiece for each side, and one a draw. The referee was roundly criticised for alleged unfair decisions.

A Pastor Elected.

The Rev. Charles Christiansen, of Loudonville, was elected to the vacant pastorate of the Evangelical St. John's church, yesterday, at a meeting of the congregation. Mr. Christiansen will remove to Massillon in about three months. He is a young minister of about 30 years of age, and has preached here on several occasions, to the entire satisfaction of the people. Under his charge there will be a regular Sunday evening sermon in English, the morning service to be in German, as before.

Burglars at Justus.

Burglars entered the C., L. & W. station Saturday night, through the north window, and gained entrance to the ticket office through the ticket window. They carried the little counter safe away and it has not yet been found. It contained tickets, notes and several money orders. The same night at the C., L. & W. station at Navarre, robbers entered and destroyed a great deal of property. No clue.

St. Valentine's Day.

In inswer to a question as to the extent of the business in valentines, via the postoffice, this year, Mail Carrier Keenhan said: "It could not properly be called light, but it seems to be decreasing in volume with recurring anniversaries. St. Valentine's day 1889 was probably the greatest in number of pieces handled in the history of the Massillon postoffice; 1890 was somewhat smaller, and this year lighter than either. We carriers shed do tears over the fact."

At Music Hall Friday.

Tickets for the Schumann Quartette concert may be had now of the Independent Company. The Washington Post says: "The entertainment given at the opera house by the Arion Quartette, assisted by Agnes Kate Denman, of Boston, was a complete success in all its details. Miss Denman's recitations were so exquisitely rendered as to command repeated and hearty applause. Her rendition of 'Genevra' and 'He and She' were gems of artistic effort but her selections were given with voice and gesture which indicates great culture. She is an artist." The concert is for the benefit of Enterprise Division U. R. K. of P.

To-night at Bucher's.

A more thoroughly pleased audience never dispersed from Conover's opera house than that of last evening, which gathered to hear the Old New England comedy of "Uncle Hiram." The house was filled, and the excellent orchestra furnished music that charmed the ears of all who heard it, while the play itself was so full of pure old-time humor that it could not fail to entertain. Altogether Manager Hardy is to be congratulated on his success of last evening.—Piqua Daily Call.

Notice to Water Consumers.

Under the new rates fixed by the council, the season for sprinkling is from April 1 to Nov. 1. Without further notice water will be turned off from premises supplied for sprinkling purposes only.

THE MASSILLON WATER COMPANY.

Daughters of Veterans.

The Daughters of Veterans will please meet at the G. A. R. Hall on Monday evening, as business of special importance will be transacted. By order of president.

Pure maple syrup 25c per quart at Martin & Vogt's.

THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

THEY MUST ALWAYS REMAIN OUT OF PARTISAN CONTROL.

Why the Advancement of the city Would not Result Beneficially—The Board of Education Should Continue to be Elected as it is.

The discovery of THE INDEPENDENT that as a result of the last census, Massillon has the population requisite to advancement from a city of the second class, fourth grade, to second class and third grade, makes it proper to discuss the propriety of seeking such advancement. One of the effects—the most important effect, would be to throw the election of members of the school board into wards, whereas they are now elected on one common ticket. At present as for many years, the board of education has been superior to politics. Nominations do not hinge upon political action, and both parties have patriotically refrain from meddling. The board of education has the public confidence therefore, and it seems to be general opinion, that there is nothing to be gained by electing this board in a manner different from that now employed. THE INDEPENDENT offers the following views upon the subject:

I. M. Taggart—As far as I am familiar with the benefits to be derived from the advancement of the city one grade it is that the board of education would be elected by wards, which would increase the membership from six to eight, and, as there is talk of redistricting the city and erecting another ward, the number would be ten. I would regard that as a disadvantage, as six members are amply sufficient, in my opinion, for a city of this size. Another objection is that the change would probably result in introducing politics into the election of members of the board, which is to be deplored, as I understand the board in this city has been kept aloof from the degradation of politics, and so it should remain.

F. L. Baldwin—I have not examined the statutes on the proposition, but, in a general way, would say that the board of education should be kept free from politics. I have been familiar with the operations of the board in this city for twenty-five years; do not remember that politics at any time intruded upon the management of the schools, and it should so remain.

S. A. Conrad—I don't believe in it. We have, in this city by watching the matter closely, succeeded in keeping the management of the schools free from politics and it has certainly been for the best. Look at Canton if it is desired to see the baneful effects of mixing politics with the public schools! Six members of the board of education are sufficient for Massillon.

John A. Shoemaker—I can see no advantage in having the manner of electing members of the board of education changed, nor do I think it would be advisable to increase the number of members, the body now being sufficiently large for all practical purposes.

Paul Kirchhofer—I'm in favor of leaving it as it is, if there is no other benefit to be derived except the election of members of the board of education by wards, as that would almost be certain to have politics brought into the board, which is certainly not desired.

George Snyder—I fear if the members of the board of education were elected by wards it would be detrimental to the schools. As it always has been politics has been ignored in the school elections, and in my opinion it should so remain.

Sneak Thieves Again.

A daring and successful sneak thief act was committed at Mrs. Kohl's boarding house in Canal street Saturday evening. The guests and family had scarcely withdrawn to the dining room, about 6 o'clock, when the hallway was quietly entered and three overcoats taken from the rack. The fact of the theft was discovered within about five minutes after the sneaks had departed with the booty, and, although the officers were promptly notified and diligent search was made on the supposition that the job had been done by tramps, not a single clue was obtained of the thieves or property. The garments were not of the finest quality but were reasonably good ones and belonged to three transient boarders who are strangers in the city.

After the foregoing was in type the three gentlemen whose coats were taken filed a complaint charging William Kohl, a son of the landlady, with being the thief. He was arrested and gave $100 bail for a preliminary hearing late this afternoon.

The mayor reserved his decision until to-morrow.

A Frightful Death.

Special Dispatch to The Independent.

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 16. — Miss Clara Fleming of Washington, Pennsylvania, was instantly killed and badly wounded J. F. Donahue, Miss Mamie Baldwin and an unknown man, as the Pan handle train was rumbling into Pittsburg, by a stone rolling down a cliff near Duquesne heights, and crashing into the car.

By Way of Cincinnati.

Special Dispatch to The Independent.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 16.—A strong effort is being made to have the body of General Sherman brought through this city on the way to St Louis. All Grand Army posts have united in a request to that end. An answer is expected to-night

A Washington Fire.

Special Dispatch to The Independent.

SEATTLE, Feb. 16.—A fire at New West Minister yesterday, destroyed $500,000 worth of property, including Masonic temple. John McCannon, a fireman, was instantly killed.

Order of Adelphi.

Members are requested to be present at Tuesday night's meeting. Certificates are to be given. J. W. CARNES, Accountant.

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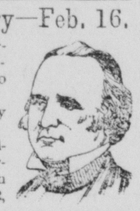

HENRY WILSON.

1568—The inquisition of Don Carlos condemned the inhabitants of the Netherlands to death.
1805—Prussia concluded treaty with Napoleon.
1812—Vice President Henry Wilson, statesman, born in Farmington, N. H.; died in Washington, D. C., Nov. 22, 1875.
1823—Li Hung Chang, prime minister of China, born in the Ann Huci province.
1840—Henry Watterson, journalist, son of H. McG. Watterson, born in Washington, D. C.
1857—Elisha Kent Kane, arctic explorer, died at Havana, Cuba; born 1820.
1862—Federals under Gen. Grant and Commodore A. H. Foote captured Fort Donelson, Tenn. with 15,000 prisoners.
1878—Bland's "silver bill" making silver legal tender money passed by congress, vetoed by president.
1882—Colliery explosion, Trioudon Grange, Durham; 60 lives lost.
1883—70 men killed by a land slide in a coal mine at Braidwood, Ills.

It was very great grief to THE INDEPENDENT to be forced to choose between publishing a fitting memorial of General Sherman, and a number of columns of local matter especially prepared for the Saturday issue. A discussion of the school board question, the disquisitions of Messrs. Hammonds and Fields, any quantity of minor articles, and a large part of the United Press report had to be laid aside.

Notwithstanding the impressive injunction of Democratic Committeeman Andrew Ertle, "For the city's welfare we believe it to be important to elect Mr. Warth," it appears from the returns that John W. Cameron was elected. Mr. Warth—a worthy citizen in his personal right, was defeated precisely because the best interests of the city did by no means depend upon his election. The election of Mr. Cameron, accomplished by hard work, in a close ward, against hard work, means that the council will stand politically a tie, with Mayor Reed to cast the deciding vote in cases of emergency.

THE INDEPENDENT raised the question of whether or not the county should be permitted to go into the commercial block building business none too soon, and it rejoices that the county press is illuminating the situation. When the taxpayers understand that their patriotic impulses are merely being thrummed upon to induce them to contribute to a handsome local—purely local—enterprise, they will certainly defeat that project. If Stark county, as a county, wishes to enter into a memorial movement, the way to do so is to endow some veterans' hospital, or orphans' home, whereby real good will be done.

On days when the legislature is not in session, the Columbus end of the Cleveland Plain Dealer marshals its sentences in verbose array, to show that that man Foraker is up to something. A great deal of ingenuity was expended to-day in proving conclusively that the brilliant ex-governor is for some inexplicable reason going to oppose Major McKinley's nomination, and going to do other unutterable things. Now it is very stupid to suppose that Judge Foraker is doing nothing of the sort. As a matter of fact every element in the Ohio Republican party is in favor of McKinley's nomination. Everybody knows that Asa Bushnell, of Springfield, is one of Judge Foraker's closest friends and admirers and it was only as late as Saturday, that dispatches were sent out from Springfield stating that Mr. Bushnell was most heartily in favor of the nomination of Major McKinley. Ex-Governor Foster has said the same thing, and from no point of the compass is it possible to find the opposition, of which The Plain Dealer makes so much. Major McKinley is not seeking the nomination. He would not turn his hand for it. But it is coming his way, and its coming cannot be prevented by an evil disposed Democratic press.

LATE SALMAGUNDI NOTES

Mr. S. A. Conrad is in Cleveland.

John C. Lowe was in Cleveland yesterday.

Mr. W. A. Wade spent Sunday in Canton.

Senator Howells returned to Columbus to day.

Miss Ella Rex, of Canton, is the guest of Mr, and Mrs. T. J. Dillon.

Herman Kauffmann of Canton spent Sunday with Massillon friends.

The Goodharts' new store will be opened appropriately, on Wednesday evening of this week.

Miss Florence Snelling is at present in Canton, having taken a position in Zollars's dry goods store.

Mr and Mrs. S. O'Donnell, of New Philadelphia, spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Edwin L. Arnold.

Revival services are still in progress a the U. B. church. Three were at the altar of prayer on Sunday evening.

Col. A. F. Beach arrived in the city Saturday, and is at the Hotel Conrad. He is in rather better health than when last here.

Mrs. Philip Hare and Mrs. Albert Mitchell united in giving a party at the home of Mrs. Hare, in Water street, Saturday evening.

Miss Daisy Ramsour entertained a number of her little friends at her home on Park street last evening, the occasion b ing her fourteenth birthday.

Mr. Lee Graybill has accepted the position at Spangler & Co., formally occupied by W. P. Schrock, who resigned to accept a position at Russell & Co.'s.

Reed & Co. are in daily expectation of a call from the representative of the Siemens glass tank apparatus, for which they expect to contract, thereby increasing their capacity one-third as THE INDEPENDENT stated some months ago.

Miss Gertrude Smith, daughter of the Rev. C. C. Smith, leaves to-day for Youngstown, O., where the last of the week she will be joined by her grandparents to make a visit to Eureka Springs, Arkansas, where she will sojourn a number of months for her health.

A telegram, received this morning, brought the sad, but not unexpected, intelligence of the death of Mike Clemens, at the Toledo insane asylum. Mrs. Clems went to Toledo this afternoon and will return with the body to-morrow night. The funeral will take place from the family residence in Third street Thursday morning at 9 o'clock.

The first news of the death of General Sherman conveyed by an INDEPENDENT bulletin, was soon followed by a display of draped flags, and the issuance of a call for a special meeting of Hart Post. At that meeting a committee consisting of Dr. T. C. Miller, Henry Huber and Wm. McMillan was appointed to draft resolutions, which will be adopted at another post meeting, to be held to-night.

The new firm of Martin & Vogt succeeded to F. W. Albrecht to-day. In the course of cleaning up the curiosity of the store was re-discovered. This is nothing less than a bottle of cove oysters, apparently in sound condition, upon the fill cap of which is this inscription, "W. J. O., May 21, 1865." That bottle has been kept as a sort of talisman ever since the proprietorship of the late Frederick Albrecht, sr.

GOODHARTS' OPENING.

Wednesday Night They Will Open Their Doors.

For the last month carpenters, painters and glaziers have been revolutionizing the interior of the Harsh block, at the corner of Main and Erie streets, and though curtains are now closely drawn, and doors locked, a newspaper man, superior to bolts and bars, managed not only to get in, but to privately inspect the commodious establishment, and the stock, which the Goodharts have purchased for their new location. The old storeroom is no longer recognizable. Great French plate windows will admit floods of light, and handsome tables, neat shelving, and other convenient fixtures differing from the conventional style, makes the place a model in these respects.

The rear end is distinctly separated from the main room, is handsomely carpeted, provided with toilet room, and is devoted exclusively to children's outfitting. The stock, of which every stitch is new, embraces lines not hitherto kept in this city, and is designed to meet all the emergencies which perplex the fond mammas of hopefuls of all ages between two and fourteen.

Stepping from this department, and amid-ships, so to speak, is a cozy little office, with cashier's desk, from which the operations in every corner can be directed. Beyond this, piled up on tables, is the stock of clothing proper, including garments of all qualities, shapes and sizes. Along the sides of the walls men's furnishing goods fill their allotted space. Here are ties in dozens of shades, and in late forms, hats of the correct block, and all the minor "fixings," which the well dressed lord of creation enjoys buying and having quite as much as the average woman. Wednesday evening is the appointed time for the opening of this men's bazaar, and it will be an opening pure and simple. No sales will be made, and every visitor will receive a handsome souvenir. Thereafter the Goodharts will be ready for business, and they propose to make goods move on the strictly one price basis.

I have been a great sufferer from dry catarrh for many years, and I tried many remedies, but none did me so much benefit as Ely's Cream Balm. It completely cured me. M. J. Lally, 39 Woodward avenue, Boston Highlands, Mass.

What is the Use

to pay $1 when you can buy the Scotch Sarsaparilla for 50 cents a bottle, 50 doses. Scotch Little Liver Pills 25 cents. For sale by Morganthaler & Heister.

Boys' watches for from $4.50 to $6.00 at Von Kanel's.

To purify
The blood
Take Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Try our wheat wafers. Martin & Vogt

MR. FIELDS AS A UTOPIAN

A PROBLEM DISCUSSED IN A LOCAL LYCEUM.

Mr Hammonds Takes Issue with Mr. Fields on the Question of the Deportation of the American Negroes to an African Republic.

There is, perhaps, no place on the town plat where current topics get a more thorough sifting than in certain tonsorial parlors. Whether this be regarded to be generally true, it shall be maintained to be the case for the basement parlor below the German Deposit bank. Chief Fields, with amiable Lieutenant Allen, keep their critical eyes askant for analyses of the more important questions of the day. The reports of congressional doings are voraciously chewed by them and not unfrequently do lively discussions take place for the edification of those who come to test the the razor's bite and get sweetened with the aromas of bay rum and other rare concoctions. The discussion which prompts this mention was one of unusual interest, it being the deportation of our colored citizenship to their ancestral African soil.

The regular disputants on this occasion were reinforced by the genial Brother Hammond, whose natural bent is well known to be of the philosophic sort. The disputations, somewhat irregular at first, took shape finally with Mr. Fields, much to the surprise of his customers who were present, actually favoring the deportation measure. He gave it his endorsement because, as he thought, it would redound to the betterment of his people. The government would have to buy the property and effects now owned by the colored people and give them free transportation whither it would send them, and these were no insignificant items by any means.

He could see some loss in departing from a land of so many blessings as the United States, but he could also see that he and his people would escape much unpleasantness, many enmities, prejudices, perplexities, and hindrances to the full enjoyment of their natural and civil rights. In Africa they could, imbued as they would be with American notions and education, and reinforced with American enterprise, found a new republic. There they could have a government to suit themselves, model it if they so desire after the American plan, elect a president, congressmen, and senators, have a common school system, and in fine, work out a truly national destiny in contentment and without embarrassment.

Mr. Fields's eloquence and manner of reasoning seemed very plausible to his hearers, but Mr. Hammond, with twinkles in his eyes slowly advanced into the heart of an argument, to the effect that the highest and best destiny for them was the one in the current of which they now were. He was satisfied with his present condition. The colored man is respected whenever his character and worth elicit respect; is only shown disrespect when his demerits invite it. For the colored citizens to embrace heartily and earnestly the privileges which white civilization now presents to them is their highest good. To identify themselves as rapidly and as modestly as possible with present conditions, to make their interests at one with the whites, would enhance their own. There is too much pretension on the part of many colored men. They affect to govern when they have not yet learned to manage a small business affair. The republic which Mr. Fields spoke of would be a veritable tyranny before a year would roll around, and wailings would be heard from far and wide: "Send me back to Dixie's Land."

"You see, Mr. Fields," said Mr. Hammond, warming to his subject, "you or some leader like yourself, would want to be president, Allen would want to be vice president. You would appoint all your relatives to the best positions, and the people, now mind what I say, the people, the colored people, how would they fare? Would their condition be any better than it is now? Would it be as good as it is now? I tell you I don't want to take any chances. I prefer the government of Uncle Sam to one of Mr. Fields."

Mr. Allen was busily occupied with a difficult hair-cut, and also perhaps out of deference to his chief, who seemed in dead earnest, had nothing to say. His opinion, however, can be admitted to probate if presented within the next ten days.

The Trojan and the Tyrian shall be treated by THE INDEPENDENT without discrimination.

ECHOES FROM THE SHOPS.

Note and Comment on Men and Doings at Russell Co.'s.

A meeting of the insurance benefit Association was held in the automatic paint room yesterday afternoon according to call of the president, Assistant Superintendent C. O. Heggem, who presided, with C. H. Wilcox as secretary. The committee appointed at a recent meeting to act with the president in recommending changes deemed necessary consisting of Messrs. Ryder, Garrigues and Williams, made their report.

The report as presented would not convey a clear idea in this column without a tedious comparison of the amendments with the old constitution, so it is better to say that there were no changes in articles one and two. In article three one word was changed in section two, only to give it proper gramnatical construction. Article four was not molested. Article five was only changed to a briefer form and to make 30 days instead of two months the time that a member can run after his assessment becomes due.

The assessments of members are due as before on the first of each month, and at the end of 30 days the nonpayment of dues forfeits membership and all claims upon the association. This change was necessary to be consistent, as there are now two pay days instead of one in each month.

Article six was shortened without changing its provisions except to require notice of the sickness of a member to be given to the secretary each week of the sickness. Article seven was not amended. Article eight did not provide for the salary of the treasurer. It was amended to include that of the secretary and the treasurer.

The report recommended that article nine be amended so that membership can be retained whether in the employ of Russell & Co. or not, provided residence is continued within five miles of Massillon. A thorough and agreeable discussion of this amendment by its supporters and opponents and an explanation by the president, made it very plain that the association was formed to prevent the embarrassing charity of collections, which could not be made equal and often gave to the most needy or deserving the least assistance; that, to sustain it, assessments must be made, and to put the members upon a just equalty assessments and benefits must be alike to all; that to accomplish the object for which it was formed no one can be debarred from membership on account of conditions of health, and consequently that invalids from any part of the United States, Europe, Irup, Orup, Stirup or Greece, if they could get employment here a few days, could join and then go away and draw benefits without being subjected to the regulations of societies which have branches or agencies everywhere to look after their interest; that to pay the liberal benefit of one dollar a day upon so small an assessment the whole of the United States cannot be taken in, and that it is much better to keep the number of benefit weeks at 40 where it is—and that without too many extra assessments—than to send money away to men who may never return; that every man gets value received for his 50 cents right along, by having his risk carried, and is satisfied to pay it when in good health; that if a man works at Russell & Co.'s, with his family elsewhere, or if he is employed abroad and his family resides within the five mile limit, he is not affected; that it is not a stock company declaring dividends, but a mutual affair, which every member should be anxious to keep within proper limits to protect his own pocket; that it is the most liberal and cheapest insurance of its kind because most others pay in 75 cents per month and pay but 40 cents per day benefit; and that the shop associations of Mansfield, Newark and others have a one mile limit, and at Newark no one is accepted without medical examination, and the five mile limit reported by the committee was adopted by an unanimous vote.

Thus it will be seen that there were no great changes other than the limit of residence. This report is given in this column by request of many members, and for the information of the dear brothers who were taking their regular Sunday afternoon nap, or those who, with their feet higher than their heads, were endeavoring to find relief from great mental strains in a cigar and a perusal of "Bill Nye," as well as those who were holding down Tippecanoe slabs upon the corners or airing their shapely forms upon the promenades to the aggravation of the dog inside the fence.

NOTES.

Chairman Heggem can, when it is needed, mix enough of the humorous with the serious to give it the right smack.

Mr. James Miller can deliver himself at length when he gets warmed up, and he wont vote alone either.

It was a fairly attended meeting—ninety-seven by actual count, and most of them good debaters.

J. H. Williams sat in the corner and, as usual, had nothing to say.

John Spuhler went let a question stick for want of a motion.

That was unanimous meeting upon every question.

Who said W. H. Lewis couldn't make a speech?

Mr. Simonsen waxes eloquent.

Having accepted the agency of the Kern County Land Company at Bakersfield, Kern county, Cal., I will take pleasure in showing samples of dried fruits, which I have just received. Also give information to any one desiring to locate in that part of California. I have a large supply of reading matter regarding climate, and the fruit industry of Kern county. I have also received very flattering letters from parties living there who are well known in Massillon, giving a glowing account of the country, etc. For price of land and terms, call on me at depot. E. P. EDGAR.

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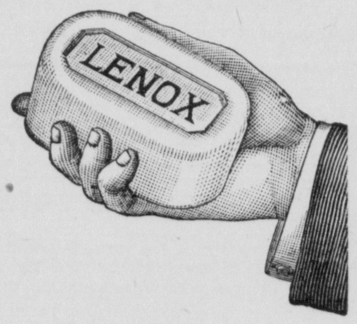

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

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We are authorized to announce the name of John J. Geis as a candidate for Street Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic primaries at the spring election.

John B. Snyder, at request of many citizens, announces himself a candidate for Street Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Republican Primary election.

The name of Wm. Vogt is announced as a candidate for street commissioner, subject to the Democratic primary election.

The name of Joseph Healey is announced as a candidate for Street Commissioner, subject to the Republican primary election.

E. Keller is announced as a candidate for street commissioner, subject to the decision of the Republican primary election.

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The name of Paul Kirchhofer is announced as a candidate for the nomination for city treasurer, subject to the direction of the Democratic primary election.

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THE WORK TO BE DONE.

THE PROGRAMME OF THE CAUCUS TO BE FOLLOWED CLOSELY.

Probability That the Copyright Bill Will be Laid Aside and the Diplomatic and Consular Bill be Taken Up—The Indian Depredations Claims and Nicaragua Canal Bills Due—Indian, Agricultural and Postoffice Bills to Occupy the Time in the House.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The senate will continue during the week on the programme arranged by the Republican caucus, although there is a probability that the copyright bill, the pending measure, will be laid aside and the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill taken up. Senator Hale has given notice that he will ask the senate to take up this bill if the copyright bill is not speedily disposed of, and it is likely that he will make a motion accordingly today, and with the chances in favor of it being adopted. The diplomatic bill can be disposed of without any delay, once it is before the senate, and the sundry civil bill now in the hands of the appropriation committee

Will be Reported During the Week

and may be passed in a day or two thereafter. The order of business also includes the Indian depredations claims bill and the Nicaragua canal bill, and it is probable that some discussion will take place on these measures before the end of the week with a chance that one or both may be finally acted on. The time of the house during the coming week will be spent in the consideration of the Indian, agricultural and postoffice appropriation bills. As soon as these measures have been disposed of the subsidy shipping bill will be taken up and disposed of, but it is not at all likely that it will be reached this week.

SATURDAY IN CONGRESS.

Indian Appropriation Bill in the House and Copyright Bill in the Senate.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The house Saturday after routine business, took up in the committee of the whole, the Indian appropriation bill, and some progress was made. In general debate separate speeches were made on the Indian problem, but without disposing of the bill, the house, after adopting resolutions of regret at the death of Admiral Porter, adjourned. In the senate the credentials of Mr. Vilas as senator-elect from Wisconsin, for the term commencing March next, were presented and filed. Consideration of the copyright bill was resumed. After making considerable progress with the bill, it was laid aside, and the message of the president announcing the death of Gen. Sherman was laid before the senate. The remainder of the day session was occupied with eulogistic remarks by Senators Hawley, Morgan, Manderson, Evarts and others. Resolutions of regret at the death both of Admiral Porter and Gen. Sherman, and providing for the appointment of committees to attend their funerals were adopted.

REMARKABLE STATE OF AFFAIRS.

Four Departments at Washington Draped for Five Great Men.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16. — Officially Washington is in mourning. Never before in the history of the government have so many executive departments at one time been draped in mourning for deceased officials. At this time the following departments are draped: The navy department for ex-Secretary Bancroft and for Admiral Porter; the treasury department for Secretary Windom; the interior department for ex-Secretary Stuart; the war for Gen. Sherman. The mourning emblems were Saturday removed from the department of justice which was draped for ex-Attorney General Devens.

INSURANCE SCAMPS.

Conviction of Representatives of the Granite State Provident Association.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 16.—The jury in the case of Eggleson, Kimberly, Cary and Snyder, representatives of the notorious Granite State Provident association, charged with conspiracy to defraud, returned a verdict Saturday of guilty, recommending Snyder to the extreme mercy of the court. Counsel for the defense then entered a plea of nolle contendre as to two other similar indictments.

Miss Clara Barton in a New Role.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—Miss Clara Barton, of Red Cross fame, has accepted the presidency and become the active head of the Woman's Executive Committee of the Chautauqua of Glen Echo at Washington. Miss Barton takes a deep interest in the great movement, and in a letter accepting the presidency predicts a glorious future for the National Chautauqua of Glen Echo at Washington, the acknowledged home of learning, literature and art in this country.

A Case for the Coroner, Not Yet.

DETROIT, MICH., Feb. 16.—While a coroner's jury was holding an inquest over the body of Mrs. Andrew Orszek yesterday, who was supposed to have died Friday night, the woman was discovered to be alive. No physician had been in attendance and the case was probably one of catalepsy or trance.

WAITED 13 YEARS FOR A MAN.

Now the Lady Wants $30,000 to Heal Her Damaged Heart.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Feb. 16.—Miss Clara Ewing, a seamstress living here, Saturday afternoon commenced suit against Dr. A. J. Lauterman, charging him with breach of promise, and demanding $30,000 damages. Miss Ewing alleges that the courtship commenced thirteen years ago, and that the date of their marriage has been fixed several times, but the gay doctor failed to come to time, each time giving some excuse for further delay. The defendant received a medical education abroad, and during a practice here of several years gained a high reputation as a surgeon. Several years ago he engaged in mining speculations in Arizona, returning here frequently, on which occasions, Miss Ewing asserts, he renewed his promise to marry her. A large amount of real estate which will come to Dr. Lauterman on the death of his mother, living near here, has been attached.

WRECK IN THE FOG.

A Passenger Engine Goes Wizzing Through the Caboose of a Freight.

COLUMBUS, Feb. 16.—A dense fog prevented the engineer of the southbound Columbus, Hocking Valley and Toledo passenger train seeing the target lights last night and he dashed at full speed into a freight train standing across the track at the Scioto Valley crossing, seven miles south of here. The passenger engine struck the cab of the Scioto Valley train, which had the right of way, whizzing right through it. Engineer Charles Bothwell, of Portsmouth, and two brothers named Johnson, of this city, were probably fatally injured, and Mrs. Robert McClure, of Reynoldsburg, O., was badly cut, but will recover. The wife and three daughters of Congressman Grosvenor were on the train, but escaped with slight bruises.

REMOVAL OF A KIDNEY.

Rare Surgical Operation Successfully Performed Upon a Patient.

SPRINGFIELD, O., Feb. 16.—A rare, difficult and severe surgical operation, called nephrectomy, or the removal of a floating kidney, was performed here Saturday by Professor Howe, of Cincinnati, assisted by local physicians, upon Mrs. Flora, of Kansas. She is the daughter of Rev. W. A. Gross. The organ had developed a number of poisonous abscesses, the exudations of which were gradually killing the patient. The kidney could be felt floating around by placing the hand on her side. The operation lasted an hour and a quarter. If the other kidney is not diseased, her chances of recovery are good. The operation is the first of its kind in this part of the country.

BUYING UP STOCK.

The Pennsylvania Goes Into Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Rather Heavy.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 16.—Something of a sensation was created on the floor of the Stock Exchange when H. H. Boyden posted on the slate five sales of the common stock of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Railroad company, aggregating 832 shares. The sales were in blocks of 100 and 200 shares at 105 and 200, and 100 and 232 shares at 105 1-4. Who the buyer and sellers are can only be a matter of conjecture, but as the Pennsylvania company has been negotiating for the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton the purchaser cannot be far removed in these conjectures from the Pennsylvania interest.

TWINS BLESS THEIR OLD AGE.

Baby Boys Come to the Home of a Father Aged Seventy-One and Mother Sixty.

PORTSMOUTH, O., Feb. 16.—Otway, a small village of this county, has been exercised recently over the arrival of a pair of plump and rosy boys at the home of David Younker. David is 71 years of age and his good wife is 60.

Their Daughter and Home Burned.

VAN WERT, O., Feb. 16.—Mr. and Mrs. Lem Stanley went away from home at Scott and left their two little children alone in their house, and returned to find that their little home, with all its contents, had been destroyed by fire and that their 3-year-old daughter had been roasted to death in the flames. When the fire broke out, the little boy made a heroic effort to get his little baby sister to come out with him and flee from danger, but she crawled under the bed and was burned to death.

Fatal Runaway at Dayton.

DAYTON, O., Feb. 16.—Thomas Meyers, 7 years old, son of H. H. Meyers, a cigarmaker, was killed by a runaway on Third street Saturday. The horses attached to a United States express wagon became frightened and dashed through the crowded street. Two wheels of the heavy wagon passed over the boy's breast, crushing the bones and breaking the arteries about the heart. He bled to death while being carried to a doctor's office.

Will Woodruff be Punished?

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., Feb. 16.—Although the Farmers' alliance members of the state senate secured the passage of a resolution by that body demanding the immediate arrest and punishment of the outgoing state treasurer, William E. Woodruff, no attention was paid to the resolution by the house, and it is said that the bondsmen agree to make up the defalcation of $64,000 provided the treasurer shall not be arrested.

DEATH CAME QUIETLY.

SHERMAN WAS UNCONSCIOUS LONG BEFORE THE END.

The Old Hero's Long and Stubborn Fight with Death at an End and He Has Been Conquered at Last—It Came Slowly, but Easily and Without Pain—The Members of the Family About the Bedside—To Have a Strictly Military Funeral.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—"It is all over." It was Gen. Thomas Ewing who said these words to a group of anxious and waiting friends and reporters, as he stood bareheaded on the doorstep of Gen. Sherman's residence, in West Seventy-first street, a few minutes before 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The old hero's long and stubborn fight with death was at an end and he had been conquered at last. Death came slowly but easily and without pain to the veteran of so many bitter struggles. He passed away exactly at 1:50 o'clock. All the members of his immediate family were gathered at his bedside at the time, except his eldest son, Rev. Thomas E. Sherman, the Jesuit priest, who is now on his way to this country from abroad on the steamer Majestic. Grouped about him

In His Last Moments

were Senator John Sherman, the general's brother; his younger brother, P. T. Sherman; his daughters, Mrs. Fitch and Mrs. Thackara, and the two unmarried ones, Miss Rachel and Miss Lizzie Sherman, who lived with him. There

were also present his niece, Mrs. Colgate Hoyt, and her son; Lieuts. Fitch and Thackara, the general's sons-in-laws; J. N. Barrett, his private secretary; Gen. Thomas Ewing, his brother-in-law, and Mrs. Alexander Green, who have attended him constantly during his last illness. Gen. Sherman lay in bed from Friday morning until he died without speaking a word. He made the attempt to do so several times, but was unable to utter other than a hoarse gasp. He apparently

Recognized Those About Him

by a look of the eye. His tongue was swollen and his jaws were stiff some hours before he died. Signs of death were noticed half an hour before he died in the icy coldness of his finger tips. This coldness gradually extended to his hands and arms. He was unconscious for the last two hours he was alive. No priest or clergyman was present, neither was any called. The general did not suffer any pain for the last two days. Death came so quietly that those at the bedside did not realize that the general was dead until Dr. Alexander said: "All is over." Death came with one long sigh. Immediately after his death, Gens. Howard and Slocum, who were on Gen. Sherman's staff, were sent for. Some two weeks ago the general made known his wishes as to his burial. He particularly requested that

His Body Should Not Lie in State

anywhere. He also requested that the funeral be a strictly military one, which would be participated in at St. Louis by his old comrades in arms. He also requested that the funeral rites be not in comformity with any particular form of religion. The funeral will be delayed until Thursday, so that Father Thomas E. Sherman, who sailed from Liverpool last Wednesday on the Majestic, may be present. The vessel is due next Wednesday. The body will then be taken via the Twenty-third street ferry to Jersey City. A special train on the Pennsylvania road will convey the body and all the members of the Sherman family to St. Louis, where Gen. Sherman will be buried beside his wife.

The Scenes of Yesterday.

All day a stream of humanity passed and repassed the house in which the remains of Gen. Sherman lay. From the windows of many of the general's late neighbors floated the American flag at half mast and in deep mourning. Many are the floral tributes sent to the house. The military guard from Governors Island was on duty all day and will remain until the body is removed. Four men were always on duty and relays came on every three hours. One man was stationed in the death chamber, while the others stood guard in the hall below. It would be difficult to number the friends who called.

Ask your dealer for "Enterprise Mill" white loaf flour. Take no other.

WEDDED THE PROPHET'S WIFE.

Death of the Husband of the Relict of the Murdered Mormon, Joe Smith.

NAUVOO, ILLS., Feb. 16.—Maj. C. L. Bedamon, one of the most widely known characters in Illinois, is dead, at the age of 85. He was born in Williamsport, W. Va., and came to Nauvoo in 1828. He resided in Fulton county for a time, and was a lieutenant colonel of the Thirty-second regiment of the Illinois infantry. He married four times, his third wife, whom he married in 1848, being Mrs. Emma Smith, wife of the murdered Mormon prophet. They lived at the historic old mansion house, which was often visited by relic hunters. Mrs. Smith Bedamon died in 1878. Subsequently Bedamon married Mrs. Nancy Abercombie, who survives him at an advanced age.

BIG TIN ORE DISCOVERY.

A Company to Work What is Thought to be a Very Rich Deposit.

MILLWOOD, VA., Feb. 16.—What is probably the richest deposit of tin in the United States is located on the western slope of the Blue Ridge mountains, about sixty miles southwest of Washington. Capt. W. H. Sales discovered the tin ore two years ago while prospecting. Nothing was done, however, until recently, when a large tract of the land was purchased by a company, of which Capt. Sales is president. The capital stock is $1,000,000, and it is said that all has been subscribed, and the work of developing the mines will soon begin. Big smelting works are to be erected.

Mysterious Suicide Still Unidentified.

LOGANSPORT, IND., Feb. 16.—The body of the mysterious suicide still lies at the village of Royal Center. The word "Pugh" on one cuff is the only mark of identity. He was a man of 40 years of age, five feet nine inches in height, weighing about 140 pounds, having gray heir with hands not worn by toil. The day before his death he came to the village with no apparent object, dropping off the Chicago limited. He claimed to be from Louisville. His appearance corresponds somewhat with Sheppard, the New York cashier who disappeared last Monday.

State Department in the Dark.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—The state department is in the dark as to the meaning of the St. Johns, New Foundland dispatch about a reciprocity treaty having been agreed upon between the United States and New Foundland. Assistant Secretary Adee says the state department has jurisdiction to make reciprocity treaties in such cases only when the conditions prescribed in the McKinley bill exist, and those conditions, as far as he is informed, do not exist as to New Foundland.

Young Men of Bad Repute in Trouble.

LEAVENWORTH, KAN., Feb. 16.—Six young men of bad repute locally were arrested Saturday on suspicion of being connected with the six daring jewelry robberies and other crimes committed in this city within the last two weeks. They are said to be members of an oath-bound gang and were organizing a plot to rob the Frst National bank. The plan was frustrated by the arrest of two members of the gang, who confessed to save themselves.

Burying the Dead.

QUEBEC, Feb. 16.—The remains of twelve of the victims of the worsted mills explosion were buried Saturday and five more Sunday. The condition of the seriously injured shows improvement. William Styles has recovered consciousness, but the doctors say he has small chance of recovery. John Morrison is still in a precarious condition.

NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD.

The First National bank, of Ayer, Mass., which has been closed pending an examination of the affairs of the absconding cashier, Spaulding, will resume business Monday.

In the house, Saturday, Representative Dickinson, of Kentucky, introduced for reference a bill to repeal the McKinley tariff act, and to re-enact all laws repealed by that act,

Christopher T. O'Neil, of Allentown, Pa., lieutenant colonel of the Seventh regiment, national guard, has been appointed keeper of the state arsenal, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Capt. Thomas F. Maloney.

M. C. Acheson, a well-known attorney of Washington, Pa., has been appointed executor of the immense estate of the late John McKeown, the recently deceased millionaire oil operator, and has given bond in the sum of $3,000,000. Mrs. McKeown's name appears with others on the bond.

The three big gypsum stucco mills in Fort Dodge, Ia., have joined the syndicate now being organized to control the stucco business of the country. The syndicate has secured control of every gypsum mill of any size in the United States. The organization of the combine will be completed about April 1.

Governor Pattison and his military cabinet, Adjt. Gen. McClelland, Gen. Snowden, Chambers McKibben, inspector general; Thomas J. Hudson, chief of artillery, and other officers of the national guard, will attend the funeral of Admiral Porter at Washington Tuesday. Governor Pattison will be one of the pall bearers.

In regard to the offer of the Ormoude club, of London, to put up a purse of £2,000 for a contest between Slavin and Sullivan, Richard K. Fox Saturday received the following reply from Sullivan: "I cannot accept the offer for the reason that I am under contract for two years and cannot fight unless for a purse of $25,000 or $30,000. I leave for Australia June 15."

Weather Forecast.

For Western Pennsylvania, Eastern Ohio and West Virginia: Brisk southerly winds; cloudiness and rain; cooler by Tuesday morning.

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

THE WORLD OF WANTS

This column is the best read department in THE INDEPENDENT. The publishers are able to guarantee a careful reading of every advertisement inserted. Its usefulness has been particularly well proven in cases of articles lost and found. Hundreds of dollars worth of missing property has, through this medium, been restored to its owners. Copy must be left not later than 10 a. m. to insure insertion the same day. An even charge of 25 cents is made for six publications, advertisement not to exceed four lines.

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FOR RENT.

DWELLING HOUSE—On Wellman street near Grace chapel, six rooms, summer kitchen, city water and cistern, everything in good order. Possession given at once. Apply to Dr. H. B Garrigues. 6

DWELLINGS—Two dwellings ready March 1, also part of double house on East street. Possession given at once. J. E. Johns, agent. 9-6t

HOUSE—Of eight rooms on corner of Oak and Hill street. Has soft coal furnace, gas fixtures cistern, well and city water, also good stable. J. K. Russell. 9-tf

HOUSE—Of five rooms in good repair conveniently located. Call upon E. A. Jones, 138 East Tremont street. 22-6t

HOUSE—Nine room house on East Main street, city water; good cistern, good barn and large lot. For further particulars call at Henri h & Kohl's. 16-tf

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WANTED

AGENT—General State Agent to open headquarters in some principal city, assume exclusive control of our business and appoint local and sub-agents in every city in this State; goods well known staple, as flour, in universal demand, and pay a net profit of 50 to 100 per cent. Address The Union Company, 744 Broadway, New York. f2-tf

AUCTIONEER—Anybody requiring the services of an auctioneer, should apply to T. Getz. 28

GENTLEMAN in office—Salary $750. Expenses paid here if engaged—Enclose self addressed stamped envelope. Manager, Lock Box 462 Detroit, Michigan.

GIRL—To do general housework. Must be of good habits. Good home to the right person. One from the country preferred. Address A. care Independent Co. 10-6

GIRL—A good kitchen girl. Dr. A. W. Rideour. 12-tf

GIRL—A competent girl to do general housework. Mrs. P. Gribble, Corner Hill and Plum streets. 13-6t

HOUSE—To rent a small house well located with cellar. Address P O. Box 107 city. 10-6

HOUSE—By April 1st, an 8 or 10 room house; Must be in good location on East Side, and in good repair. Must have bath room, gas, etc. Address M. E. H. this office. 10-6t

LADY in office—Salary $500. Expenses paid here if engaged—Enclose self addressed stamped envelope. Manager, Lock Box 462, Detroit, Michigan. 1-28sm

PASTRY COOK—An experienced pastry cook. Wages no consideration to the proper person. Apply at once at the Hotel Conrad. 16-tf

WANTED.

SECRETARIES and ORGANIZERS—For an assessment order paying $100 in 6 months at an estimated cost of $14. Reputable men and women can secure liberal compensation. Address H. D. Reed, American House, Cleveland. 14

SEWING—By the ladies of the Christian church. Splashes wing, quilting, knotting comfortables, etc. Leave orders with committee Mrs. Zach. Sheem ker, Mrs C C. Smith, Mrs John Howell, Mrs Sue Landis, Mrs. Ella Bruny, Mrs T. C. Bradley 12-6t

WANTED—An active, reliable man—salary $70 to $80 monthly, with increase to represent in his own section a responsible New York House References. MANUFACTURER, Lock Box 1585, New York.

For Sale or Rent.

HOUSE—A new house of 5 rooms, elegantly finished interior. Well located on Richville Avenue. Inquire at 172 Richville Ave. 24-tf

FOR SALE.

COWS—Two fresh milch cows—both young—One a Jersey.—Enquire of D. Beatty, 475 East Main street. 29-tf

HOUSE—A seven room house, No. 19 Wellman street, only five minutes walk from center of town. Any one wishing to purchase, please call at premises. 29-tf

HOUSE—A seven roomed house and bath room also a good stable and other necessary outbuildings, cistern and fruit trees; situated at the corner of Duncan and Green streets. Lot 60x185 feet. Inquire on the premises. f5-tf

HOUSE—A six room house, No. 234 N. Clay street, in good repair, also good out building. Anyone wishing to purchase should call at premises. For sale cheap. 24-tf

HOUSE—A ten room house on E. Main street, No 208, in good repair also good out building. Any one wishing to purchase should call at premises. G W. Castleman. 24-tf

HOUSE AND LOT—A four room house, No. 44, Cliff street, in good repair. Any one wishing to purchase should call at premises. Erwin Reese. 15-6t

HOUSE AND LOT—On West Cherry street, No 8 at $800. 12-6t

HOUSE AND LOT—Corner Hill and Chestnut street; seven rooms and summer kitchen. Lot 80x115; excellent well of water, cistern and city water. Inquire on the premises, No. 98 N. Hill street. 12-tf

JERSEY COWS—Two first-class Jersey cows, Apply to P. G Albright Administrator. 16

LIMESTONE—Crushed limestone for walks, in large or small quantities. Inquire of J. V. R. Skinner 319-tf

LOT—One lot on Plum street near Mill street. Inquire at 54 Plum street. 7-6t

MARE—A fine driving mare, 7 years old; buggy and harness. Inquire of D. P. Clapper, 229 West Main street. 9-6t

MODERN COTTAGE—One of the healthiest and most desirable locations in town, ten rooms, eight closets and pantry, gas, &c.—five minutes walk from postoffice. Inquire at 22 Wellman street of Mrs. J. F. Paul. 19-6t

PLATE GLASS FRONT—The large imported French glass windows and iron columns now constituting front of Dielmann's grocery. Apply at store. 27-tf

PIANO—A good square piano. Will sell cheap as I expect to leave town. Mrs. J. F. Paul, No. 22 Wellman street. 30-tf

THE Independent will be obliged to those who answer advertisement under this head, if they will kindly state that they were attracted by means of this paper.

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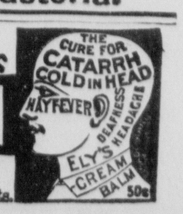


TO ECLIPSE THEM ALL.

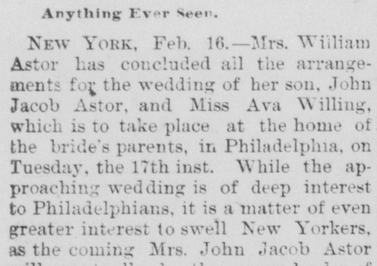
ELABORATE ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE ASTOR-WILLING WEDDING.

The coming Mrs. John Jacob Astor to be the Queen of New York society—Only 150 Persons Will Witness the Ceremony—The Reception Will be One of the Largest Ever Held in the United States—Floral Decorations to Surpass Anything Ever Seen.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Mrs. William Astor has concluded all the arrangements for the wedding of her son, John Jacob Astor, and Miss Ava Willing, which is to take place at the home of the bride's parents, in Philadelphia, on Tuesday, the 17th inst. While the approaching wedding is of deep interest to Philadelphians, it is a matter of even greater interest to swell New Yorkers, as the coming Mrs. John Jacob Astor will eventually be the queen leader of all that pertains to society in this city. Under these circumstances the arrangements for the wedding have been fashioned and directed by Mrs. William Astor, contrary to the usual custom, which places these duties in the hands of the bride's parents. The wedding ceremony will be performed by the Rev. Dr. McVicker, of the Church of the Holy Trinity,

At Miss Willing's Home,

No. 511 South Broad street. The ceremony will take place at 1 o'clock precisely, in the presence of 150 guests, most of whom will be New Yorkers. Mrs. Astor's visiting list numbers almost 1,400, and as it is impossible to have all these at the ceremony, it was arranged Saturday to have two special trains leave New York on the day of the wedding, one to carry 100 people and the other to carry 1,250. Those in the first train will attend the ceremony, while



MRS. WILLIAM ASTOR.

the larger number will merely attend the wedding reception which will follow. The first train, on which the very intimate friends, relatives, ushers and and bridesmaids will go, will be made up of Pullman cars. It will leave Jersey City at 10 a. m., and will arrive at Philadelphia at 12 sharp. This will give the ladies in the party abundant time to change their traveling gowns for the magnificent ones they will wear at the ceremony. Elaborate preparations have been made for the floral decorations of the Willing house, and it is expected that they will surpass anything of the kind ever seen in this country. Thousands of roses orchids, lilies of the valley, tulips and daffodils will be placed in every room of the house, and the walls from floor to ceiling will be one mass of sweet perfumed flowers. It is estimated that $20,000 will be spent in the floral decorations alone. After the ceremony

The Wedding Breakfast

will be served. Pinard, the ultra-fashionable New York caterer, has been secured for this very important part of the ceremony and has made several trips to Philadelphia to plan out the arrangements. Twenty pink tables set in pink with pink roses and pink azaleas will be placed in the library, music room and large central hall of the house. The tables and silverware will be sent on by Pinard from New York specially. In the dining room, which will be ornamented by whole chimes of wedding bells, the bridal table will be set with eighteen covers. Everything about the table will be in pure white, only white bride's roses, white orchides and white violets being used. Those who will sit at this table will be the newly married couple, Mr. and Mrs. William Astor, Mr. and Mrs. Willing, Mr. Barton Willing, Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Drayton, Mr. and Mrs. James R. Roosevelt, Mr. and Mrs. Orme Wilson, State Senator Lispenard Stewart, the best man, and some close relatives of the Willings.

Immediately After the Breakfast,

the menu of which will be most elaborate, the rooms will be cleared for the reception, which will begin at 3 p. m. The special train on which the 1,250 New York guests will travel will leave this city at 1 o'clock and arrive at Philadelphia promptly at 3 o'clock. Hundreds of carriages will be in waiting at the Broad street depot to convey the guests directly to the Willing house. In addition to the 1,400 New Yorkers who will attend there will be about 800 Philadelphians, making one of the largest private receptions which have ever taken place in the United States. Arrangements have been made by Pinard to serve a buffet collation to all the guests attending the reception. At 4:15 o'clock all the New Yorkers will be conveyed back to the depot, and at 4:30 the two trains will start for this city, arriving here at 6:30 o'clock.

GOULD RETURNS TO NEW YORK.

His Greatest Affliction a Sick Headache That Did Not Cut Short His Trip

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Jay Gould arrived in the city from his southern trip Saturday. George J. Gould said to a reporter that his father was in his usual health, except that he was naturally fatigued after much traveling. Mr. Gould, he explained, sometimes had sick headache, which compelled him to lie down. Perhaps he had one of these headaches just before leaving Florida, he (George Gould) had not heard of his father having had any other attack. It was certain that nothing of the kind had cut short his trip.

A GREAT FIGHT COMING.

The Anti-Canal Bill of Senator Howells up for Discussion.

The Cleveland Plain Dealer of to-day has this. "The bill introduced by Senator Howells, providing for the abandonment and sale of the canals of the state, will undoubtedly precipitate a great fight in the legislature and although it will be supported by some of the strong advocates of the proposition on both the Democratic and Republican sides, it is extremely doubtful whether the measure can be passed. The author of the bill is collecting data upon which to base a strong argument in favor of his proposition. According to his figures the total cost of the canals has been over $15,000,000 and he claims that since 1883 it has cost the state over $800,000 in excess of the receipts to maintain them. He argues that the counties through which the canals pass are the only ones benefitted and scouts at the idea that they serve as a balance with which to regulate and keep dow freight charges. Mr. Howells's position in the matter is in the nature of a surprise to many people, who looked upon him, perhaps, without having anything upon which to ground their opinion, as a friend of the canals of the state.

"But, while the anti-canal men are preparing for the onslaught, the friends of the public works are not idle. They are preparing facts and figures with which to meet any arguments that may be advanced by the opposition. They will show that in the palmy days of the canals, when they annually paid into the state treasury a net revenue largely in excess of the expenditures, had this money not been used to meet other expenses, and placed to the credit of the public works, the waterways of Ohio would now be enjoying an income in the way of interest from the fund that would pay for all of the repairs and improvements necessary to put the canals in excellent condition."

AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

Snatches of News from City and the Court House.

CANTON, Feb. 16.—Emma Klenzle has commenced suit for divorce from her husband, John. They were married in Zoar in 1876 and she asserts that in Bolivar and in Canton he beat her, threatened to kill her and broke her furniture and dishes.

The force of employes of the Hampden watch factory will be gradually increased, beginning this week, for full time work. There was a report on the streets Saturday that the entire force would resume Monday, but the resumption of work to fuller capacity, it is said, will necessarily be by departments. It is expected, however, that the movement for increase Monday means a gradual return to old time activity.

Solomon W. Lerch has been appointed receiver in the case of Elizabeth Lerch vs. Central Savings bank, Sturtevant Lumber Company and the Canton Hardware Company.

The case of J. W. Gillespie against F. W. Bryan for $1 637 claimed to be due from the sale of the Alliance Review from the former to the latter in 1885, has been closed in court after a spirited contest. A verdict of $200 was given in favor of the plaintiff, which is entirely satisfactory to the defendant. This is the plant from which the Alliance Standard Review arose, a stock company having been organized, purchasing and consolidating The Review and The Standard.

It is probable that at the meeting of the Young Men's Democratic club to be held Tuesday evening Otto E Young, of Massillon, will deliver his address on "What I Know About Politics."

The funeral of John H. Brenner was held yesterday and was largely attended.

The first of the Rev. Dr. Stafford's series of lectures was delivered at St. Peter's church last night to a large and delighted congregation.

Circuit court opens to morrow with twenty-five cases in the docket.

Make a Note of This

Send your address and two cent stamp to John R. Pott, district passenger agent, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway, Williamsport, Pa., and you will receive one of their new vest pocket memorandum books for 1891. The St. Paul now owns and operates over 6,000 miles of the best equipped road in America. It is the short line between Chicago, St. Paul and Minneapolis, and Chicago, Council Bluffs and Omaha. Runs through Pullman sleeping cars between Chicago and Portland, Ore., via St. Paul, Butte, Spokane Falls and Tacoma. The national route between Chicago and Kansas City. If you contemplate a trip to the northwest, southwest, or far west, write to John R. Pott for rates, maps, etc. He will furnish all information free.

Ask Your Friends

Who have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla what they think of it, and the replies will be positive in its favor. One has been cured of indigestion and dyspepsia, another finds it indispensible for sick headache, others report remarkable cures of scroffula, salt rheum, etc. Truly, the best advertising which Hood's Sarsaparilla receives is the hearty endorsement of its army of friends.

Guaranteed Cure for La Grippe.

We authorize our advertised druggist to sell you Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, upon this condition. If you are afflicted with la grippe and will use this remedy according to directions, giving it a fair trial and experience no benefit, you may return the bottle and have your money refunded. We make this offer, because of the wonderful success of Dr. King's New Discovery during last season's epidemic. Have heard of no case in which it failed. Try it. Trial bottle free at Z. T. Baltzly's drug store. Large size 50c and $1. 4

A Good Record.—"I have sold Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for ten years," says druggist E. B Legg, of Vail, Ia., "and have always warranted it and never had a bottle returned. During the past 90 days I have sold twelve dozen and it has given perfect satisfaction in every instance." It does not dry up a cough, but loosens and relieves it. It will cure a severe cold in less time than other treatment. 50 cent and $1 bottles for sale by Morganthaler & Heister.

Crushed limestone for walks. Large or small quantities. Inquire of J. V. R. Skinner.

FASHIONS FOR THE FAIR.

OLIVE HARPER GIVES THE RESULT OF HER LATEST INVESTIGATIONS.

Novelties in the Designing of Gowns That Will Be Interesting to All Women—The Most Advanced Styles in Tea Gowns Critically Considered.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—There is no use trying to deny the fact any longer, for nearly all the new dresses drag on the ground at the back and just clear it in front, with the sole exception of tailor made gowns, which would sadly fail of their effect if made to do so. And each succeeding week they appear to add an inch to the length, so that before long the newspapers will have a chance to get up a new variety of jokes at the expense of the wearers. And the skirts are as scant as they can well be made, as far as front and sides are concerned. Probably this is to observe a just and proper balance of economy in material.

ROSEWOOD VICUNA AND WIDOW'S GOWN.

As a sort of compromise theer is an elaborate and complicated arrangement of strings and loops, which are placed on the inside seams with the design of gracefully lifting the dress but so far I have failed to see one that properly attended to its duty and lifted every seam at once. It is not possible to do this, so let us hope the weather will always be good and the streets always be clean.

A really pretty new walking gown that came under my notice yesterday was made of bois de rose, or rosewood vicuna, and the waist was cut all in one with the front and sides, and very effectively looped on the sides by means of brown velvet straps simulating pocket lids. The velvet was bordered with silver braid. Around the bottom was another band edged as the other, and beneath that a wide band of the new novelty brocade, which was also used to make the upper part of the waist and sleeves. In the back the fullness was gathered very full. A bonnet of the velvet and brocade was worn with it.

There always will be grief and mourning, and if one ever needs habiliments therefor it is well to know what is worn, for there are fashions in mourning as well as bridal robes. The design with this is of pure Priestly silk warp Henrietta, which is the only kind worth using or indeed suitable on account of its subdued luster. The front has a double facing of English crape, the yoke and sleeves also are of crape. At the sides are three deep plaits, and the back hangs in a demi-train from heavy box plaits. The waist is belted in and shirred on to the yoke.

Bonnets are made of the dress material and trimmed with flat Alsatian bows of crape, with a thin veil falling to the chin, bordered with a narrow band of crape. The real veil falls clear to the bottom of the dress, and is hemmed half a yard deep for widows, and graduating to one-fourth for brothers or sisters. Widows wear the little white frill as heretofore. The crape veil is fastened to the back of the bonnet, and not over the top as heretofore. Handkerchiefs do not have deep borders, only the scalloped edges are done in black thread, but just as often they are entirely white.

THE LATEST IN TEA GOWNS.

Tea gowns are as pretty as ever, but now the most of them are made to fit the figure like a gabrielle or princess dress, and the front is usually draped artistically with China or Japanese crepe and lace. Some, however, are loose, like the lovely design herewith, which is of the old fashioned "Cheney silk," in large, indistinct patterns. The front is laid in folds from shoulder to foot, and the back in one deep watteau plait. A double collar of lace falls over the shoulders and in jabots down the front. The color is cream pink and faint "early apple" green. The under dress or front is of ivory bengaline embroidered in gold and silver. Around the neck and at the waist is silver bullion fringe; altogether a beautiful dress. The design can be followed in a variety of materials, though the lace should not be omitted.

OLIVE HARPER.

CHESS AND CHECKERS.

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PROBLEM NO. 5.—BY ANTONIN KVICALA.

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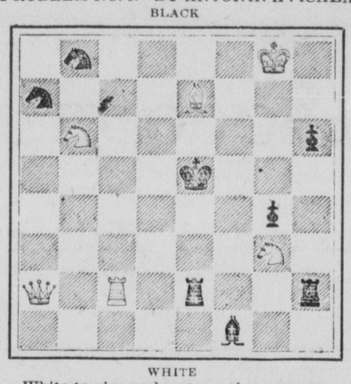


WHITE

White to play and mate in three moves.

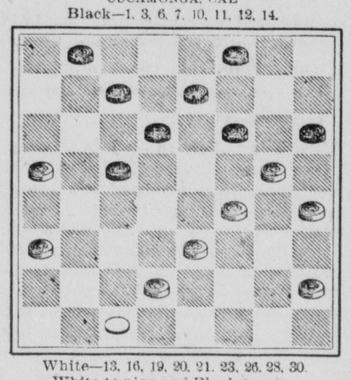
SOLUTION TO NO. 3.—BY DAVID HAY.

WHITE.	BLACK.
1.—B. to K. Kt.'s 5.	1.—P. to K. B.'s 3
2.—B. to K. R.'s 4.	2.—K. to K. B.'s 5.
3.—K. takes P.	3.—K. to K.'s 4.
4.—B. to K. Kt.'s 3, mate.	

PROBLEM NO. 337.—BY MR. W. C. BELDEN

CUCAMONGA, CAL

Black—1, 3, 6, 7, 10, 11, 12, 14.



White—13, 16, 19, 20, 21, 23, 26, 28, 30.

White to play and Black to win.

GAME NO 376.—"KELSO."

PHILANDER VS. EDGERLY.

10..15	26..23	16	23	21	14	16..20	
23..18(a	8..12	27	18	9..25		32..23	
12..16(b	23..19(e	7	16	29	22	6..9	
21..17(c	3..7(f	31	27(g	4..8		13..6	
16..20	25..21	10	14	27..23		1..26	
17..13	11..16	18	15	20..27		30..23	
7..10(d	18..11	14	17	23..18		B. wins	

(a) 23-19, 7-10 forms the "Whilter." 23-19, 15-18 is excellent for both sides. 22-18 is the latest "fashion."

(b) If 6-10, then 18-14 should draw. A standard line of play is 6-10, 27-23, 1-6, 32-27, 15-19.

(c) The game *can* be so played as to become "blocked," without the loss of a man. In such case White is the winner.

(d) 8-12, 18-14, 9-18, 24-19 draws.

(e) Losing move. Correct play is 25-21, 9-14, 18-9, 5-14, 30-25 (not 24-19)

(f) This move wins. 3-8, 27-23 draws. 9-14, 18-9, 5-14, 10-16, 12-19, 22-18 draws.

(g) 18-15, 20-27, 31-24, 10-19, 24-15, 4-8 B. wins.

GAME NO. 377.—"SINGLE CORNER."

JORDAN V. TESCHELIET.

11..15	9..18	*)15..18	*)31..26	3..10	
22..18	23..14	19..15	20..16	6..15	
15..22	1..6	*)11..16	*)26..23	27..24	
25..18	26..23	24..20	15..11	20..16	
8..11	6..10	16..19	*) 5..9	23..19	
29..25	25..21	31..26	11..2	15..10	
4..8	10..17	*)19..23	9..18	24..20	
18..14	21..14	26..19	16..12	16..11	
9..18	2..6	18..22	18..22	20..16	
23..14	30..25	27..24	28..24	11..7	
10..17	*) 6..10	22..26	22..26	16..11	
21..14	25..21	15..10	2..6	7..2	
11..15	10..17	26..31	26..31	11..16	
27..23	21..14	19..16	24..20	12..8	
6..9	*) 8..11	13..19	31..27	W. wins.	
32..27	23..19	24..15	10..7		

(*) Called to time.

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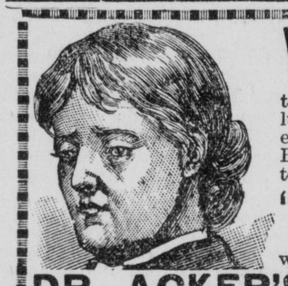

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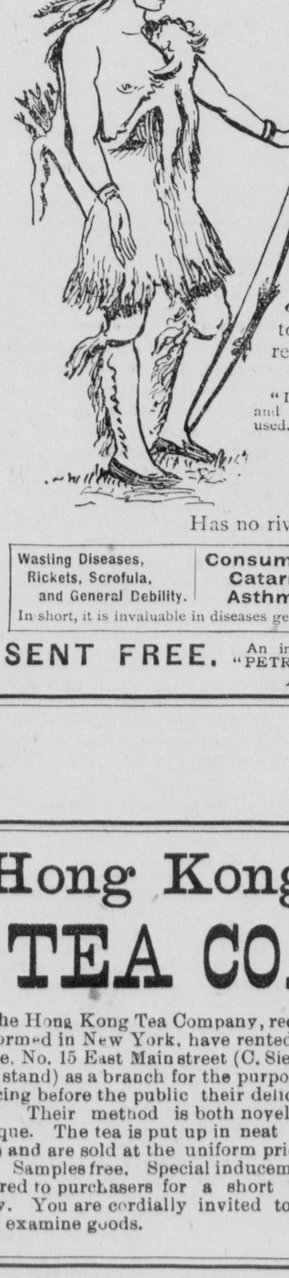

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